

Lancaster Intelligencer.

THURSDAY EVENING, SEPT. 30, 1880.

Manifestly Rotten.

To outside observers the Democratic split in Philadelphia over the district attorneyship seems to be very absurd; and if there is any sense in it there must be a great deal of rascality in it also.

We say this on the assumption that this Democratic division has been formed, and is not the incident of a sudden outbreak of unreasoning temper.

It has all the earmarks of deliberation. For some time the newspapers have been full of reports that some of the Democratic leaders proposed to nominate Hager with the purpose of securing through his unpopularity the election of the Republican Graham.

An interesting art and literary event will be the unveiling of the Burns statue in the New York park on Saturday afternoon next. Mr. John Payton, of the Caladonia club, will present the work to the city in an appropriate address, and Mayor Cooper will reply.

Earl GRANVILLE, foreign secretary, has been summoned to London from Baltimore in connection with foreign affairs. ANDREW G. CURTIS was nominated for Congress yesterday by the Democrats of the Twentieth Pennsylvania district.

WILLIAM McARTHUR, member of the House of Commons for Lambeth, was yesterday elected Lord Mayor of London. Mr. McArthur is a Liberal.

In resigning their seats in the Italian Chamber of Deputies, General GARIBOLDI and his son Menotti state that they are unable to remain as deputies in a country where liberty is trodden under foot.

THE DEMOCRACY OF ALABAMA and Louisiana quickly respond to the letter of General Hancock on the war claims question by giving it full and unqualified endorsement on behalf of the people of their section.

GEN. WILLARD WARNER, of Alabama, writes a letter to the New York Tribune, dated Sept. 7, and waves "the bloody shirt" in a way that must be pleasing to the stalwarts.

Two men, one of them James Hanna, of Oakland, were found dead in bed in the Burns house, at Strasburg, yesterday. They blew out the gas on retiring, and were suffocated.

SENATOR WALLACE defines the issue dispassionately and honestly when he declares that no material or moral interest of Pennsylvania or any other Northern state can be helped, or can fail to be hindered and harmed, by sectionalism, passion and malignant misrepresentation.

attempt to divide the Union, and that all the hopes, the sentiment and the material welfare in the South lie in the restoration of good feeling, of generous cooperation, and of complete harmony among citizens of the same states and states of the same union.

DOWN IN ALABAMA, where, according to Grant, a Republican cannot get his vote in or counted, it appears, according to Mr. McCaa, that this cheating is done at a very cheap rate—\$29 per county.

MINOR TOPICS. At the coroner's inquest it was shown that the death of Robert Driver, who died suddenly in Reading, on Saturday, was caused by eating too many chestnuts.

THE WOMAN SUFFRAGE committee of New York began a canvass of Warren county, in that state, with a meeting in Glen's Falls yesterday. Isaac Mott presided, and Helen M. Stoenum made an address.

THE FACULTY of Yale college, at a meeting yesterday, resolved to forbid the students from walking in political parades for the present. This action is taken in consequence of the destruction of a Hancock flag by students last Saturday next.

PERSONAL. JOHN REID, jr., a prominent citizen of Mobile, died suddenly of apoplexy, in that city, yesterday.

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THE STATUE of Admiral Farragut, by Mrs. VIXIE REAM HOKIX, was yesterday erected in Farragut square, Washington. It is of bronze, heroic size, and stands upon a pedestal of Maine granite ten feet six inches high.

Rev. Troyer a Statuist.

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Mr. Troyer is simply in a somnambulic or trance condition, and could easily be taught to become a statuist, when his powers would be much increased and the delay and the necessity for so much care of him, now deemed necessary, could be dispensed with, as he then could enter the condition at will, and please, and do all that he now does understandingly if not knowingly.

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SOUTHERN SENTIMENT.

Union, Peace, National Prosperity—A Rebel Rejoinder. How can we help it? Ben Hill's New York speech.

It is wise, it is patriotic, to teach the people of one portion of our country to hate and distrust the people of another portion of that same country? "No," says the Republican party, it is both wise and patriotic to do so, and the Democratic party affirms that it is most unwise and most unpatriotic to do so.

After the lapse of fifteen years of Republican rule since the close of the war we had hoped that in this campaign for the presidency this issue would not have been presented. I did not believe that it would be presented two months ago, for surely it seemed to me in the light of the early past, that it ought to be forgotten.

Suppose it to be true that there have been (as there have) some unpleasant differences between the two sections. Are those differences to be healed by perpetual wrangling or misrepresentation or abuse? What is the country to do with the changes against us are false? We tell you that they are false, but they say we are not to be believed.

THE SECOND ANNUAL exhibition of the Philadelphia Society of Artists will begin in the academy of fine arts on November 1, and continue until December 6. The body of an unknown man, about 25 years of age, 5 feet 10 inches high, was found in the Lehigh river, at Bowman's, on Tuesday. It was clothed in a dark blue coat, overalls and calico shirt.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE. THE QUENBYTERIAN ALLIANCE. A Paper by Rev. Dr. Thos. G. Apple.

In the Pan-Presbyterian council, at Philadelphia, yesterday, Rev. Thomas G. Apple, D. D. of Lancaster, read a paper on "The Theology of the German Reformed Church." He said: The Reformed church of Germany, extending now into other lands, and maintaining a vigorous independent organization in America, has its roots in the Reformation, having started in Germany-Switzerland simultaneously with the Lutheran Reformation in Wurtemberg, and establishing itself subsequently in the Palatinate and other sections of Germany.

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asks repose and relief from that sense of apprehension created by the Republican rule in order that she may go forward in solving the problem of building up her industries and improving her natural advantages. We are building railroads and manufacturing and taking steps to bring emigrants from the North to the South, and spindles are now running in the South, and the number will be doubled within eighteen months. New Orleans and Texas are negotiating to bring the Great Eastern through the jetties. Barge lines are now being formed and elevators constructed to handle 500,000 bushels of grain per week. We are not thinking of claims against the government. The real South has "bucked" her losses long ago and is looking ahead and not behind her. If all the so-called "Southern claims" were pitched into the Potomac, the South would not complain. Mad. Wells, of returning-board fame, and the persons interested with him would lose some \$400,000. But the real representative people of the South have little or no interest in the question."

THE HANCOCK association of Louisiana, at a meeting in New Orleans, last evening, adopted a resolution fully endorsing Gen. Hancock's letter against payment of rebel claims. The Democratic state committee of Alabama yesterday issued an address carefully endorsing General Hancock's letter in relation to the claims question, and adding: "Our party in Alabama stands committed by its platform, by the action of every department of the state government, and by the judges of its courts elected by it, to an acceptance of the results of the war; second, to the equal political rights of every citizen; third, to the faithful maintenance of the public credit, state and national, and unflinching opposition to the repudiation of any public obligation; fourth, to the equal franchise to all, to the elective franchise, fifth, to the strictest enforcement of the maintenance of public affairs."

STATE ITEMS. A freight brakeman named Henderson was killed by falling from a car near Carlisle, on Tuesday night. The second annual exhibition of the Philadelphia Society of Artists will begin in the academy of fine arts on November 1, and continue until December 6.

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JUSTUS HOFFMAN pleaded guilty yesterday of the murder of his child at Wilkesbarre, and was sentenced to nine years' imprisonment in the Eastern Penitentiary, and his wife to six months' imprisonment, and killed the infant in her arms.

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THE MEETING.

SENATOR WALLACE AT FULTON HALL. AN ENTHUSIASTIC POPULAR RECEPTION.

Speeches From the United States Senator and a High Private in the Late C. S. A.

The Democratic meeting in Fulton opera house last evening was a signal success. It could not be surpassed in any building of like size for enthusiasm and numbers, and certainly had not been equalled in the present campaign in this city. By 7:30 every seat in the building, numbering about 1,150, was occupied and by 8 it was crowded in every foot of available standing room. Senator Wallace was escorted from the Stevens house to the meeting by the officers of the evening and the city campaign committee, and their entrance was the signal for long-continued applause. After filing into the reserved seats assigned to them, and some of the officers occupying stage seats, the organization was announced as follows by the chairman of the county committee:

PRESIDENT—NEWTON LIGHTNER, ESQ. Vice Presidents—Hon. I. G. Long, B. J. McCreary, H. E. Slaymaker, Wm. B. Fordney, H. M. North, Robt. Montgomery, James A. McCreary, James Stewart, D. G. Eshleman, S. H. Reynolds, Alex. Harberger, Philip Doersom, J. M. Johnston, Geo. M. Steinman, Dr. H. Carpenter, Chas. Dinkler, Frank Pfeiffer, Abram Erisman, Philip W. B. Reynolds, H. B. Swarr, J. J. Widmayer, James H. Z. Reynolds, C. A. Oblander, Wm. A. Morton, Philip Dinkler, John Stamm, Lewis Fisher, John McKillops, H. Bieckerding, Sr., M. Hildebrand, Nich. Danner, W. S. Yundt. Secretaries—W. Hayes Grier, John A. Shorrock, George W. R. Jolley, John S. Tengier, W. H. Guthrie, William Johnson, Alex. Donnelly, Joseph Schmid, John Rose, Harrison T. Shultz, E. C. Diller, E. L. Hambricht, H. E. Minnich.

Mr. Lightner received with applause and after returning his thanks for the honor conferred upon him, said he would not detain his audience from those whom they had assembled to hear, and introduced Senator Wallace, who upon advancing to the front of the stage was received with long continued applause.

Mr. Wallace began by recounting the evidences of returning prosperity that are visible on every hand, and pointing out the revival of the material interests of the country from the desolating blight that fell upon them in 1873. Business is constantly improving, and the times are infinitely better than they were five years ago. The Republican party claims this to be the result of its policy of government, but this pretension is without foundation. Of course wise government is a necessary agency of national prosperity, but the redistribution of the forces of the country constituted the real cause of this renewed life and energy throughout the broad domain of the republic.

The laboring man, for whom was only illness in the great cities, and who had turned his hand to the tilling of the soil, and from the ample stores of mother earth drew the nourishment that was necessary to sustain life and supply strength and happiness. All classes of the people knew that better their condition, their economy, prudence were requisite, and it was by the exercise of these that the republic was restored to the position of progress and growth. Not by the fiat of legislative and executive will, but by the steady and right hand of the American people again vindicated their title to be regarded as a free and independent nation. [Applause.]

Ask our adversaries where we would stand to-day if the people of this country had been a generation of spendthrifts instead of a people of frugality and enterprise. Their claim to have been the agency will not bear the test of criticism and scrutiny. For it was no governmental policy that wrought this change for the better in the condition of the country. The people are themselves the governing power and the man or organization or agency that stands in the way will go down before the restless march of progress. In the clank of the loom, the rattle of the spindle, the busy hum of machinery the country renews and produces a richer and more rekindle the embers of sectional strife among a reunited and prosperous people. The stability of confidence cannot be forced upon the people by legislative enactment. Comfort and happiness at home, by the freest, produce educational advancement, and following in logical sequence comes intellectual progress; and by these the country is led up to the position to which the God of nations destined it.

Can this condition of business prosperity, intellectual advancement and stability of government be most effectually maintained by nourishing the feeling of party passion and sectional prejudice, by reviving bitter memories, or by endeavoring to restore that unity of sentiment for which so many thousands of lives were sacrificed on many bloody fields? The question is its own answer. You cannot have stability of government, unity of sentiment, by arraying the great sections of our broad land in enmity against each other. Coming out of the fratricidal strife, the people can lay their fingers on the pulse and there detect the throbbings that so clearly indicate the desire of all classes—merchants, mechanics, laboring men—for a restoration of the era of good feeling between all parts of our common country. We all want this, here our own hearts state the Keystone of the federal arch, and throughout the sisterhood of commonwealths, the sentiment prevails. The men of Pennsylvania recognizing the fact that we are designed to be one people, that we have identity of interests with the portion of our land once unhappily arrayed in hostility against the general government, can not afford to stop now and quarrel with the South, where a new race of men has sprung up making the wilderness there to blossom as the rose, and who are asking us to take their tobacco and cotton, and rice and sugar, and who want to take in exchange our iron and other manufactures. [Prolonged applause.]

THE REPUBLICAN party is a sectional party, it ceased to be national if it ever was national. There is no Republican party south of Mason and Dixon's line; they don't want any electoral votes from that portion of the country, they don't make any efforts to secure them. The Republican leaders seek to array the North against the South, and by law have adopted and the following officers elected: President—B. S. Patterson. Vice President—Warren W. Hensel. Secretary—Jos. Hilton. Treasurer—Charles Hager. Recording Secretary—E. F. Pennell. Ash McCordle and A. Guiney.

A committee was appointed to procure equipments, and arrangements were made for attending the meeting at Oxford and at Quarryville.

LANCASTER OFFICIAL VISITORS. A visiting committee from the Lancaster county agricultural society, composed of Messrs. Peter S. Reist, Jacob Bollinger, Johnson Miller arrived in Reading yesterday to attend the county fair.

GOOD FISHING. Jonas Winters, of Hagerstown, Md., and Col. Samuel H. Price, esq., went fishing yesterday to Fite's Eddy and caught 61 bass, one of which weighed 1 1/2 pounds.

ignore the great cardinal truth that man is the unit of free government. [Applause.] Southern outrages to fire the Southern heart have become useless as Republican stock in trade. Just after the war, indeed, when that party in the South refused to admit the subordination of the military to the civil authority, and rode rough-shod over the natural rights of the people, that portion of the country may have been convulsed with disorders; but a comparison of 1868 with 1880 shows that all these have passed away; that under the beneficent influence of Democratic government and constitutional rule the region has been restored to tranquillity, happiness and prosperity; and as a final veto this Republican outrage cry is silenced by the Democratic party's nomination of a Union general for the office of president of the United States. [Wild cheering.]

It was a bloody shirt that has been a failure, a cause of chafed blame admits. Maine has sounded the muster, the day of the general resurrection will come in November. [Great applause.] Pennsylvania has been wont to be called the Keystone of the national arch, and she must continue to occupy that position. As the great workshop of the nation, whose interests as a manufacturing centre are so closely identified with those of the South as a great producing region, it is for her to call in thunder tones that there must be an end of strife, to stop this senseless Republican chatter about the traitorous Democracy of the North and the unrepentant rebels of the South. Pennsylvania's pocket is directly affected in this matter, and at the ballot-box she will not be found wanting in the effort that the good people of the country have made to restore unity and good feeling between the sections of a restored Union. Sensible people of all parties agree that this stirring up of old animosities must cease, and they know, too, that the Democratic party propose to govern this country in the fear of God and according to the constitution, when they get it, which they will on the 23d or 24th of November next. [Cheers.]

Mr. Wallace demonstrated that the policy of the Republican party has wrought the destruction of the Union, and remarking upon the necessity of a change of administration said that change is the law of our very physiology undergoes transition in the course of every seven years, and the operations of nature require a continuous change of administration, the same principle applies in the operations of government, the same necessity for a change prevails there; and in a government of the people it is the people who must apply the remedy. The Democratic party will not attempt to stop this war of nature, and said Mr. Wallace, when we shall have been in power corrupt and deluded and sink in the nostrils of the people, why kick us out and put the other fellows in. [Applause.]

The Republicans say we can't be trusted with the business of the country, and they have sent hundreds of thousands of dollars to Ohio and Indiana to save those commonwealths from the avalanche of Democracy that is sure to sweep over them next month. [Cheers.]

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Alabama had voted by fifteen thousand majority, as certified to by General McCaa, that the reconstruction constitution, but the Republicans calmly stilled that popular decision and forced the yoke upon the necks of the unwilling people. Mr. McCaa pictured the condition of the state under this corrupt government as a "bloody shirt" foisted upon it. Business withered, production ceased in a large measure, and thieves and corruptors fattened on the substance of the people. Since 1873 all this has been changed. Corrupt carpet-bag rule has been overthrown, and the state has rapidly arisen to a proud position among the commonwealths of the republic. Especially notable in the improved and improving condition of affairs is the advancement of the colored people; they are happy and contented; their children are being sent to school and educated for the duties of citizenship; they have become and are regarded as an important factor in the business interests of the community, and they are treated with kindness and consideration by the white population. The speaker lived in the position of one of the most densely populated negro districts of the state, and he could truthfully say that at the election in August last he neither witnessed nor heard of a single case of intimidation, violence or fraud, and he indicated the simplicity of the manner of conducting elections he mentioned the fact—that the truth of which he was in a position to know—that the entire expense of the campaign in his county of 30,000 people, was exactly \$28.75.

As had been anticipated by distinguished Southern Republicans, the Republican party South has disappeared, and the Republican managers have aided this condition of affairs by removing all the efficient organizers of the party to posts where they could not employ their talents in creating an organization. The speaker, who was a member of the corps of commanders, and one of the best political managers in the South, had been sent by the Republican administration at Washington as minister to Turkey; Mosby has been shipped to Hong Kong for the same reason; and the speaker, who is one of the most cultured Republicans in Alabama, has been appointed to a position that keeps him at the national capital. It is the same with all the prominent Republicans in the South, and the reason is transparent.

The South is solid for Hancock because she wants to come back into the Union. Old rebels like myself recognize the results of the war, and want to see a restoration of unity and peace; and Hancock is the representative of that feeling, and is the representative of the constitution and good government.

The South was solid for George Washington because he stood up against oppression and tyranny, and is now solid for the man who stands up for the rights of the citizen alike of North and South.

Mr. McCaa spoke with marked effect and genuine earnestness; he was frequently interrupted by applause, and after George Pontz had sung a couple his popular campaign songs, by immense assemblages of the citizens of the town, who were in the support of Hancock and Union.

COLUMBIA NEWS.

OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENCE.

The Hancock Veteran club will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock, in the Keystone Democratic club room, on North Third street, for organization. The membership of the club is now at the rate of twenty, which number will be increased to one hundred or more. The club will decide upon the uniform to be worn at this meeting, and it is, therefore, decided that all members attend and give their views on the question. The Citizens' band received their new uniforms yesterday, and will appear in them and with their new instruments last evening. The uniforms are of dark blue cloth, the pants with stripes and the coats cut double breasted and trimmed with red. The caps are of the same material, and will be worn in the clubs.

Several ladies and gentlemen, members of the Robin Hood archery club, of this place, will visit Marietta to-morrow afternoon, to shoot at a target, against representatives of the team at that place. The proposed archery contest, between J. N. Smith and Jerry Koch, has placed on trial each boat did not work well at a trial given a couple of days ago. When the propeller was put to work the boat in place of going ahead described a circle of its length, and the archery contest was considered the cause of the failure, and this will be remedied in a couple of days when a new iron wheel of quite different shape will place the place of the worthless one.

Marietta Brosius, esq., of Lancaster, city will address the Republicans of Columbia, this evening. A meeting of the teachers' institute will be held in the high school room on Saturday morning next.

The exonerating John B. Wisler, tax collector, from the collection of uncollectible taxes will be deferred by the school board until its next regular meeting.

In 1876 Mr. Tilden was elected president of the United States by a majority of a quarter of a million of the American people. It is a long time since the nation was reversed by the partisan vote of an electoral tribunal. The Democratic party is the party of peace, and in order to preserve the business of the country submitted for the time being to the rule of the ruling party, it has been put upon it and upon the American people, bided its time, and now comes before the great tribunal of the public and indicts the Republican party for the larceny of the presidency of the United States. On this issue, as much as upon any other, it comes before the court of the nation, and the verdict will be rendered in unmistakable terms on the second day of November. [Cheers.]

Senator Wallace's closing words comprised a graphic description of the battle of Gettysburg, where there was no other, Pennsylvania stood like a wall of adamant against an invading host, and where at the most critical juncture, when the issue hung trembling in the balance, Winfield S. Hancock like a viking hurled back the tide of threatened destruction and saved the commonwealth and the country. [Great cheering.] In the hands of Gettysburg's hero the Democratic party